Gallant you led your men in the fray, Fearless and brave till they won the

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Chautauguas

"An Integral Part of Our

National Defense"-

President Wilson on Dec. 14, 1917, wrote the President of the International Lyceum and Chautauqua Association as follows:

"Your speakers, going from community to community, meeting people in the friendly spirit engendered by years of intimate and understanding contact, have been effective messengers for the delivery and interpretation of democracy's meanings and imperative needs. The work that the Chautauqua is doing has not lost importance because of war, but rather has gained new opportunities for service.

"Let me express the hope that you will let no discouragement weaken your activities, and that the people will not fall in the support of a patriotic institution that may be said to be an integeral part of the national defense."

"There is no place where more good can be done to the government nd to the cause than upon the Chautauqua platform. The people tho need information will be there, and, more and more as the years to by, persons who can get it are availing themselves of that avenue."

"I am constantly facing the splendid results of the work done by the Chautauquas in this country in creating and sustaining a sound patriotic public feeling, and in carrying forward the great national

enterprises which the government is necessarily bringing to the attention of our people; and I want you to know that as an officer of the government I not only appreciate the importance of the lecture platform as a means of communication and expansion, but also appreciate the work which you and your associates are doing as a contribution to our National cause."

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Chautauqua Here Aug. 13-20

The Roosevelt Ideal

"The men elected this fall should not only be

absolutely loyal but possessed of broad vision, sound common sense, high character and unyielding resolution."

-From the Address of Col. Roosevelt at Saratoga, July 17, 1918

Truman H. Newberry

Commander Truman H. Newberry combines all these qualities

NEWBERRY

United States Senator

President Wilson says:

Vice-President Marshall says:

Secretary of War Baker says:

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS (Official)

Council Chambers, July 27, 1918.

Special meeting of the common make shipment during the first week shipment during the fir section, then the name or on shall be registered and he shall hen be permitted to vote at such hen be permitted to vote at such election. If such applicant shall, in said matter, wifully make any false statement, he shall be deemed guilty of perjury and, upon conviction, be subject to the pains and penalties thereof.

Provision in Case of Removal to Another Precinet.

Z. W. Gooding were invited in Deciding the statement, he shall be deemed day to visit their niece, and day to visit

the right, on any day previous to elec-tion day, on application to the city clerk, to have his name transferred represent the present, yellow for the past and green for the future. The following poem was written for the eccasion by Mrs. Peck: from the registrat on book of the precinct from which he has removed to the registration book of the precinct in which he then resides. Such What is life? A span of years? A tale of joy? A vale of tears? Life is a time to reap and sow; To love and labor and to know elector shall have the right to have such transfer made on election day by obtaining from the board of in-spectors of election of the precinct from which he has removed a certi-

qualified women electors not already appearing on the registration list will be registered, provided personal application is mde in conformity with the foregoing provisioans.

F. E. Conant.

day.
Then in your face a new light shone,
In sacred joy you came marching HOW TO VOTE BY MAIL

5—A commercial traveler, or
6—A person employed upon or in the operat on of railway trains in this state, or
7—A sailor engaged or employed on the Great Lakes or in coastwise trade

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How voter should proceed: Any voter coming within the provisions given above, expecting to be absent from his city on the 27th day of August, 1918, and desiring to vote by mail at said election, must make application either in person or by mail to the undersigned City clerk for a blank form to be filled out by said voter so as to constitute an application in proper form, for ballots to be voted at said election. If this request be made by mail, it may be in the following form:

To the Clerk of the City of Belding:

Please mail to my address given below, a suitable blank form for use in making application for ballots to be voted by myself in the ward, of the city of Belding, County of Ionia, State of Michigan, August 27, 1918, under the provisions of Chapter XII, Act. No. 203, Public Acts of 1917.

My name: John Doe.

My name: John Doe.

Address ...

When to make application to city clerk for ballots: Application for ballots on the form provided by the city celk can be made at any time within thirty days prior to the date of election, provided it reaches said clerk not later than the second day preceding the election.

Upon receipt of the blank application form, the voter must fill it out fully and completely and mail same to the city clerk at the address given below or deliver in person to said clerk.

City clerk to mail initialed ballots to applicant: As soon as the ballots are printed the clerk will mail immediately to said applicant, the ballot or ballots to be voted by said applicant at said election, or deliver the same in person, provided the applicant is duly registered.

Church and School-

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC Mass every other Sunday at 8 a. m., every alternate Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Mass every week day at 7:30 a. m. Rectory residence, 409 South Bridge

Rev. John A. Klich, Rector.

HOLY TRINITY MISSION
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Corner of Congress and Alderman treets. Hours of service Sunday:
10:30—Morning service.
Rev. Robert S. Nash,
Priest-in-Charge.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 10:00.
Morning worship, 11:00.
Class meeting, 12:00.
Evening service, 7:00. Sermon by
the pastar.
Holiness meeting, Tuesday evening,

Prayer service, Thursday evening, You are welcome.

J. Fred Iulg, Pastor.

METHODIST

Sunday, 10:00, class meeting; 10:30, morning service; 11:45, Sunday school; Epworth league, 6:00; evening service at 7:00 p. m.

Prayer meeting for young women in Philathea room and young men in Baraca room Tuesday evening, 7:30.

Thursday evening at 7:30, general prayer meeting followed by Bible stury.

P. Ray Norton, Pastor.

LATTER DAY SAINTS Sunday school, 10:30; prayer service, 11:30; religo, 6:30; preaching, 7:30. J. D. Aelick, Pastor.

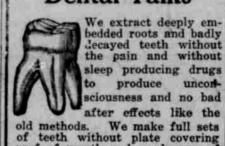
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE Christian Science society, 106 So. Pleasant street. Sunday morning service at 10:45. Sunday school at 11:45. Testimonial meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30,

CHURCH OF CHRIST Regular services on Sunday, 10:30 a. m.. Worship and communion. 12.00 noon, Bible school; 6:00 p. m., senior C. E.; 7:00 p. m., evangelistic

Mid-week prayer meeting and training class Thursday at 7:30 p. m. You are cordially invited to all ser-vices of the church. Chas. M. Pease, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday—Morning worship, 10:30 a.
m.; Bible school, 12:00; B. Y. P. U.,
6:00 p. m.; evening service, 7:00;
prayer meeting, Thursday evening at
7:30.
W. A. Biss, Pastor.

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- 24 ACRES with fruit inside limits of Belding.
- 10 ACRES with good house and barn and out buildings near Chadwick, soil clay loam, seeded to timothy and clover, stock and tools go with place.
- 80 ACRES. A bargain near Kent City, living water, 6 room house, new hip roof barn, 170 bearing apple trees, clover meadow.
- 35 ACRES at Wood's Corners, on Ionia road, new house, small barn will sell at an attactive price.
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- 30 ACRES 2 1-2 miles from Belding, clay loam soil, good house and small barn; must sell to close an estate.
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To Lowell and Grand Rapids, 10:15 a. m.; 2:22 p. m.; 6:44 p. m.

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(Political Advertisement)

from which he has removed a certivate of transfer and presenting the said certificate to the board of election inspectors of the precinct in which he then resides.

Women Electors—The names of all qualified women: electors not already the past holds golden sheaves for your removed to the residual to the precinct in the precinct of the past holds golden sheaves for your removed to the precinct of the precinct of

foregoing provisioans.

F. E. Cenant,

Clerk of the City of Belding, Mich.

Dated July 25, 1918.

With Special Reference to the Primary Election, August 27, 1918.

Important change in absent voters' law. Who are entitled to vote by The golden past is a "tale that is told".

mail.

The term "absent voter" shall be taken to mean any qualified elector who is absent or who expects to be absent from the township or ward in which he resides, on the day of any election or official primary election and who is:

1—A person in the source by the golden past is a "tale that is told". The pure white present is never old; Your future is green and fresh and fair; Long may its joys be yours to share.

Major Stevenson entered the army in 1862 and was immediately appointed sergeant-major of the control of the con

which he resides, on the day of any election or official primary election and who is:

1—A person in the actual service of the United States, or of this state or

2—A student, while in attendance at any institution of learning, or

3—A regularly enrolled member of any citizens' military or naval training camp, held unde the government of the United States or the State of Michigan, or

4—A member of the legislature while in attendance at any session of the legislature, or

5—A commercial traveler, or

The term "commercial traveler" shall